Death Notices

Virginia Mae Austin Bowling

Virginia Mae Austin Bowling, 77, of 2224 Old Mill Road, Lynchburg, died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, March 3, 1984, in Lynchburg General Hospital. She was the widow of James B. Bowling.

She was born in Appomattox County, a daughter of the late Frank Samuel and Grace Wooldridge Austin. She was retired from Craddock-Terry Shoe Corporation and was a member of Fort Hill United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Joyce Bowling Thomas, Bel Air, Md.; three brothers, F. Edward Austin and C. Howard Austin, both of Lynchburg, and Roy M. Austin, Montgomery, Ala.; three sisters, Mrs. Lucille Robertson, Newport News; Mrs. Lonie Farrar, Appomattox, and Mrs. Dorothy Bryant, Richmond; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday from Robinson Funeral Home, Appomattox, by the Rev. Danny Kesner, with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

Leonard Walker Crews

Leonard Walker Crews of Manassas died Feb. 27, 1984.

He was born in and was a former resident of the Lynchburg area.

He was the father of Daniel W. Crews of Nokesville and John L. Crews and Mrs. Sylvia J. Sawyers, both of Manassas; brother of Lyle Crews of Point Lookout, Md., Elmo Crews of Lynchburg, Raymond Crews and Mrs. Mabel Moore, both of Appomattox, and Mrs. Lucille Bell of Charlotte, N.C. He had 10 grandchildren.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday at Sudley United Methodist Church. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Moser Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Daniel Connelly Elliott, Sr.

Daniel Connelly Elliott, Sr., 69, of Winfall, died Tuesday, Feb. 28, 1984, at his residence, following a long illness. He was the husband of the late Griselda Brooks Elliott.

Born in Winfall, he was a son of the late Andrew Walton Elliott and Nannie Daniel Elliott. He was the retired owner and operator of the Daisy Canning Co. and Elliott Farms, and was a member of Winfall Baptist Church.

He is survived by two sons, Daniel Connelley Elliott, Jr., Madison Heights, and Charlie Walton Elliott, Winfall; two daughters, Jean Elliott Angel, Winfall, and Barbara Elliott Lewis, Danville; five brothers, C.I. Elliott, Winfall, Dr. W.C. Elliott and Dr. James Elliott, both of Lebanon, A.F. Elliott, Sr., Spout Spring, and the Rev. Hatcher S. Elliott, West Palm Beach, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Viola Smith, Fredericksburg, and eight grandchildren.

A funeral service was conducted at 3 p.m. Thursday in Whitten Park Avenue Chapel by the Rev. Hatcher S. Elliott. Interment was in Rustburg Baptist Church cemetery.

Whitten Park Avenue Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Corrie J. Messer Mathis

Corrie J. Messer Mathis, 88, of Pamplin died at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Memorial Hospital, Danville. She was the wife of the late Fred W. Mathis.

Born in North Carolina, she was a daughter of the late David Tipton Messer and Jane Bradley Messer. She was a member of Piney Ridge United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by a son, Gordon (Bob) Mathis.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Iola M. Fulton, Danville, and Mrs. Ann M. Brooks, Pamplin; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Betty Brendon Mathis, Lynchburg; eight grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in Piney Ridge United Methodist Church by the Rev. Clarence Bowen. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Robinson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Jack Thomas Price

Jack Thomas Price, 66, of Pamplin, died Sunday, March 4, 1984, at his home. Born in Appomattox County, he was a son of the late Jack J. Price and Daisy Worley price. His wife was the late Marie Burnett Price.

He was a veteran of World War II and a retired employee of Gulf-Western Industries.

Survivors include a sister, Rosa Jamerson of Lynchburg, and four brothers, Lawrence Price of Lynchburg and Wallace Price, Marshall Price and Curtis Price of Pamplin.

Graveside funeral services were conducted at 4 p.m. Tuesday in Pamplin Community Cemetery by the Rev., Clarence Bowen.

Robinson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

William Bryant St. Clair

William Bryant St. Clair, 87, of 105 South Hood St., Lynchburg, died Sunday, March 4, 1984, in Guggenheimer Nursing Home. He was the husband of the late Gurthel Sumner St. Clair.

Born in Bedford County, he was the son of the late Oscar Beauregard St. Clair and Madge Burks Williams St. Clair. He was a retired guard for the Virginia state correction unit and was a member of West Lynchburg Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Nancy St. Clair of Washington, D.C.; a brother, James St. Clair of Lynchburg, and two sisters, Ollie King of Lynchburg and Althea Hunt of Concord.

Graveside services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Fort Hill Memorial Park by the Rev. James D. Newman.

Whitten Park Avenue Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Ezra Mac Thomas Tucker

Zora Mae Thomas Tucker, 70, Amherst, died 8:35 a.m. Saturday at Medical Care Center. She was the wife of William Earl Tucker.

Born in Amherst County, she was a daughter of the late John Edward Thomas and Cora Alice Beard Thomas. She was retired from the Food Service Department at Sweet Briar College, after 30 years service. She was a member of Sardis United Methodist Church.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a son, Sandy L. Tucker, Covesville; two daughters, Mrs. Calvin D. (Ardenia) Thompson, Piney River, and Mrs. Ray (Alice) Shields, Lynchburg; two brothers, John E. Thomas, Concord, and Sidney D. Thomas, Lynchburg; a sister, Mrs. George (Ruby) Thompson, Piney River; three grandsons, Billy and Terry Thompson, both of Piney River, and Alan Tucker, Covesville.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at Piney River Funeral Home, with burial at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Route 4, Amherst.

Piney River Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Charles Elliott, owner-operator of Elliott's Upholstery and Trim Shop, located on Fleshman Street, Appomattox, believes, "In my business, it's not how much you do, but how well you do it."

"We try to give our customers just a little better workmanship at the same cost or less than other trim shops. If we didn't have the reputation we have, we wouldn't be in business today," Elliott said.

Elliott completed training with Modern Upholstery Institute in 1974 and went into business on a part time basis while a student at Phillips Business College, Lynchburg. Upon completion of his college work, he went to work for H.T. Smith Electrical Co. as office manager, all the while applying himself and improving his skills in the upholstery business.

In August of 1981 Elliott went into the upholstery business full-time and in July of 1982 was certified to be a master craftsman with the National Association of Auto Trim Shops.

To Elliott, quality is just about everything from a perfect and novel installation to a flawlessly re-done Mustang interior, to customizing boat seats and tops.

In addition to seat upholstery work Elliott repairs seats, makes and covers boat seats, boat covers, boat tops and boat carpet work. In addition to complete upholstery on off-road vehicles, he also does reupholstery work on furniture to customers' specifications.

To be a success in the upholstery business, Elliott believes "one has to stick with it and keep doing good work, estimates the jobs as accurately as possible and be sure to do the best work possible. Building a good name is important."

"I worry about workmanship. Getting the work to do is not the big deal but getting the work out properly is the key," he concluded.

CHARLES ELLIOTT, owner-operator of Elliott's Upholstery and Trim Shop

Virginia Fibre honored for plant safety record

The Southern Pulp and Paper Safety Association has announced that Virginia Fibre Corporation was ranked number three among the 32 pulp and paper mills in its size category for calendar year 1983.

This achievement represented the best improvement from calendar year 1982 of any of the 32 mills.

According to D.P. Clements, safety director at Virginia Fibre Corporation, good supervision and attention to details are always important elements of a good safety program, but in the case of the VFC it was a whole-team effort.

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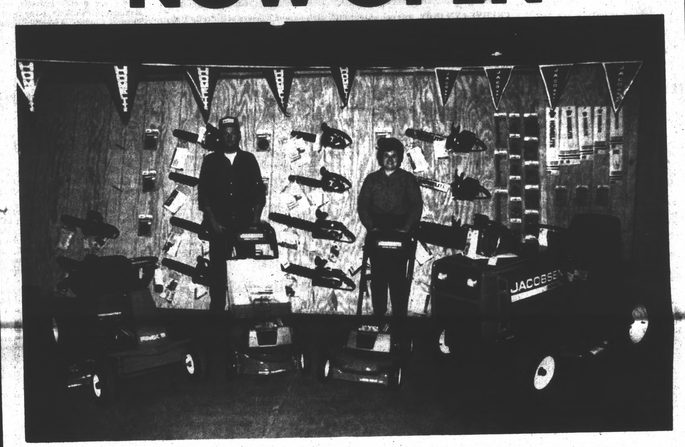

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Recent weather not cooperative

By JAMES A. SMITH
Extension Agent

It's been tough trying to find the proper weather to get on land. Pastures and hay fields need to be overseeded with clover; time to seed alfalfa and pastures; soil samples need to be pulled; small grain and pastures need to be top dressed; alfalfa that's at least a year old likely needs to be sprayed to control chickweed; tobacco plant beds need to be seeded; and if there's still grain in storage, check it for condensation and insect activity.

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A good treatment of malathion on properly-dried, cooled corn should last a year.

Dr. Charles Story at the U.S. Grain Marketing Research Lab is probably the world's foremost authority on grain fumigant and protectants. In response to why some grain doesn't appear to be holding he said, "The failure of malathion to do a complete job for at least a year or more is likely to involve two things. One of these is excess moisture in the grain when treatment is applied, along with too much moisture left in the grain for the storage period. If malathion is applied prior to artifically drying the corn, the excessive heat blown through the corn to dry it can present problems. Both excessive moisture and heat tend to bread down malathion's effectiveness."

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Tobacco farmers can save some valuable dollars by being more selective in the fertilizer analysis they purchase.

The purpose of a fertilizer is to supply nutrients. When these nutrients are supplied excessively, some may be stored but frequently they are lost through leaching.

For tobacco, calcium and magnesium are not needed if the pH is above 5.6. In general, there are no deficiencies found in tobacco for calcium, zinc or iron.

A general statement would be-take a soil sample and purchase nutrients based on need. Look for the proper mix of fertilizer and side dressing to attain nutrients at the least cost.

Flue tobacco in particular frequently gets too much nitrogen, but don't overlook potassium levels. They need to be high enough for tobacco to maintain the proper burning quality.

Compare prices of equal quantities of nutrients, not on a per ton basis, between 5-9-9, 4-8-12, 5-10-5, 6-12-12, 8-16-24, 6-6-18 and 8-8-24. I believe that you will find the best buy in the higher analysis fertilizers.

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Had several to ask last week about fertilizing plant beds. A 12-6-6 is the analysis that you'll purchase for plant beds. It's a higher analysis than was available at one time, so drop the rate per 100 square yards to 50 to 75 pounds. Later, if extra nitrogen is needed, apply 3 to 6 pounds of nitrate of soda per 100 square yards.

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Virginia has certainly not followed the national trend with cow numbers. Nationally, cattle and calves on hand January 1 were down 1 percent. In Virginia, they were up 19 per cent.

In the category of heifers, steers and bulls under 500 pounds, they were down nationally 2 percent, but up in Virginia 23 percent. The increase in Virginia was expected because of decrease in calf marketing last fall.

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The Annual Meeting of Tobacco Associates, Inc. is Tuesday, March 20, 10:00 a.m. at the Mission Valley Inn, Raleigh, NC. Tobacco growers are invited to attend.

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Rumensin is now cleared for feeding replacement beef or dairy heifers. Average daily gain can be improved by 9.8% when this additive is put in the feed ration.

Beef producers can be more competitive if they use ionophores such as Bovatec or Rumensin where appropriate. The development of these materials did for the beef industry what the Model T did for the auto industry. Yet, there are many Appomattox cattlemen that have not elected to use these products.

There are new generations of these compounds on the verge of being released, some promising to promote feed efficiency responses of 15% or more and larger increases in average daily gains. Research shows a 16% increase in daily gain in grazing cattle has been reported when fed in a mineral mixture.

ASCS Today

By TOM CONRAD

Pre-Measurement Service Available

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service provides pre-measurement and other producer services to assure famers that they are in compliance with 1984 acreage reduction requirements and eligible for program benefits.

At the request of the producer, we will stake and measure acreages before crop planting time. Farmers are required to plant within the stakes that are placed when the land is measured and to report their crop acreages to our office when planting is completed.

To be eligible for price support loans, target prices and other program benefits, producers must certify actual planted acreages. Pre-Measurement is important in helping farmers plan which land to devote to the acreage conservation reserve and which fields to plant.

Other ASCS producer services include measuring total cropland, fields or subdivisions to be planted and land areas for other purposes. Fees vary, based on the type of service rendered.

Pre-measured acreage is guaranteed for the program year and producers who take advantage of the service will avoid unnecessary worry over the possible loss of 1984 farm program benefits.

In order to service the requests on a timely basis, farmers are encouraged to apply early.

EDB list available here

The Federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on Feb. 3 suspended all uses of the chemical compound ethylene dibromide (EDB) for the fumigation of stored grain, and spot treatment of grain milling equipment according to the local ASCS office.

This action followed an early action by EPA suspending uses of EDB for soil fumigation.

Area farmers with stocks of any products containing EDB are encouraged to return these stocks to their suppliers.

While suppliers are not required by law to take the returned products, EPA hopes that most will as a service to their vauled customers.

Farmers returning goods should obtain from the supplier a record of the name and amount of product returned. EPA is requesting that, if a farmer cannot return products containing EDB to his or her supplier, the product should be stored in a safe location and the farmers should await further instructions about final disposition.

A complete list of the chemicals containing EBD is available at the local ASCS office.

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